"You don't mean to insinuate that I'd forge a tes-

"Oh no. I don't insinuate anything at all, Doctor," answered the pale-looking man. "But I'd like to see this Mr. John Johnson, and have a little talk "You can do that, if you'll take the trouble to call on him," said the Doctor, in an off-hand way.

"Where can I find him ?" asked the man. "He lives a little way out of town; about three

miles on the Frederick turnpike." "Ah ? So far ?"

"Yes. Go out until you come to the three mile stone; then keep on to the first road turning off to of a mile, when you will see a brick house. Mr. Johnson lives there. The thin, sallow faced man bowed and retired. As

he left the store, the Doctor gave a low chuckle, and then said, half aloud-"I guess he won't try to find this Mr. John John-

But he was mistaken. Three hours afterwards "Well, Doctor, I've been out where you said, but

no Mr. John Johnson lives there." "Mr. Johnson lives at the place to which I directed you," said the Doctor, positively.

But the man shook his head. "You went out the Frederick Road to the three mile stone ?"

" Yes." "And turned off at the first road on the left hand

"You told me the right hand side!" said the man "Oh! There's the mistake," replied the Doctor, with the air of a man who had discovered a very material error, by which an important result was affected, "I told you to turn off to the left."

"I'm sure you said the right," persisted the man. "Impossible," returned the doctor, in a most confident tone of voice. "How could I have said the right hand, when I knew it was the left? I know Mr. Johnson as well as I know my own brother, and have been at his house hundreds of times." "I am almost sure you said the right!" persisted

the man. "Oh no! You misunderstood me." most positively answered the doctor.

"Well, I must only try it again," said the man, til to-morrow, for I'm completely worn down."

of the sick man, adding, as he did so-"It is only fifty cents."

"I've been humbugged too often!" replied the suspicious patron of patent medicine venders. "No: I'll see Mr. Johnson first."

"Well; did you see Mr. Johnson?" asked the Doctor, with a pleasant smile and confident air, as the testimonial hunter entered his shop on the next day, "No, I did not." was replied, a little impatiently.

"Ah ! How comes that ! Did you follow the directions I gave ?" "Yes. to the very letter."

"Then you must have found Mr. Johnson." "But I tell you I didn't."

"I'ts very strange! I can't understand it. You turned off at the first road to the left, after passing the third milestone ?" " I did."

from the turnpike ?" "What gate ?"

"The gate opening into the lane leading to Mr. Johnson's house. "I didn't turn off at any gate," said the man. "I

about a gate.' not usually left open for any sort of ingress & egress. artificial production. I don't wonder that you were unable to find Mr.

"I wish you'd give me a more particular direction," said the invalid. "I'm nearly dead now with fatigue; I'll try once more to find this man, and if I don't turn him up. I'll let the matter drop. I don't believe your medicine will do me much good any

how." "I'm sure it will help you," replied the Doctor. "I can tell by your very countenance that it is what you want. Hundreds, affected as you are, have been restored to health. Better take a bottle." "I want to see this Mr. Johnson first," persisted

the sick man. "Get a carriage then. This walking in the hot sun is too much for you." "Can't afford to ride in carriages. Have spent all my money in doctor's stuffs. On dear! Well! You say this man lives just beyond the three mile stone.

"Two poplars stands at the gate ?"

at the first road leading off to the left ?"

"I ought to find that," said the man. "You can find it, if you try," returned the Doctor.

man of drugs, as soon as the invalid retired.

wish I'd sent him six miles instead of three."

The man started off again. " Plague on the persevering fellow!" muttered the

The day wore on, but the Testimonial Hunter did not re-appear. Early on the next morning, how- Virginia warm fence and have my bowels torn out ever, his pale, thin face, and emaciated brows were by a green brier, than to be thus bamboozled by the visible in the shop of the quack doctor.

"Ah! good morning! good morning!" cried the latter, with one of the most assured and pleasant smiles in the world. "You found Mr. Johnson, of unbelliferous plant growing in Persia. The root re- Vessels Burnt by a British Steamer.—The barque

course ?" "Confound you and Mr. Johnson too! No!"

plied the invalid, impatiently. The doctor was a man of great self control, and, of course, did not in the least become offended. "Strange!" said he, seriously. "You surely didn't follow my directions."

"I surely did. The first gate on the left hand ness of his surprise, actually let a small package that dry assafeetida brought to us. The Persians are It was supposed that the Admiral was acting unhe held in his hand, fall upon the counter. "I told commonly obliged to hire ships on purpose for its der orders received from home for the suppression of you poplars, distinctly. The elm tree gate is at carriage, as scarcely any one will receive it along the slave trade. least a quarter of a mile this side. But, to settle the with other commodities, its stench infecting every matter at once," and the doctor, speaking like a man thing that comes near it .- Scientific American. who was about doing a desperate thing, turned to BALKING OF HORSES .- A subscriber in Howard arise between the Brazilians and the British. his shelves and took therefrom a bottle of the Uni- District, writes us thus : versal Restorer-"here's the medicine. I know it will cure you. Take a bottle. It shall cost you infallible rule for curing a false or balky horse, you

nothing:" The sick man, tempted strongly by the hope of a cure, hesitated for a short time, and then said-"I don't want your stuff for nothing. But, half

a dollar won't kill me." counter, and taking the medicine, went slowly away. "Rather a hard customer that," said the Doctor to the neck and head, speaking soothingly to him all have not learned full particulars, but suppose the while; after a few minutes, while the horse's their object was for plunder. his drawer. "But I'll take good care to send the sulky humor somewhat subsides the driver comnext one like him a little further on his fool's ermences to blow very gently up the horse's nestrils, mences to blow very gently up the horse's nestrils, which he continues to do for a few minutes, then a reputation as a poet, and to immortalize himself in the beginning."

The sick man never came back for a second bottle of the "Restorer." Whether the first bottle killed found to have been subdued. This is the plan, also or cured him is, to the chronicler, unknown.

ry Clay." exclaimed Mrs. Partington. "Well, there! conquering this radical fault in the horse, we know I hope Mr. Clay isn't getting into bad company, for not; it may, however, be worth a trial. be as bad as a negro driver himself." And the good beast, and it may be that the gentle treatment, inold lady took a long piach of snuff and heaved a deep dicated above, may be efficacious. sigh of Lumanity.

A Hero and Heroine.

The N. Y. Tribune has a correspondent who has

so if you'll just tell me where I can find this Mr. John- an outline of his history may interest many of your 13th day of Awgust 1850.

"He is a native of Canada, and now nearly sevenrobbery of the enemy's mail during the last war, for acquirements .- Wadesboro' Argus. which he received a reward of \$500. From that time he became a hunted outlaw to the English, and reciprocated most cordially their enmity. In May. 1838, he boarded the Sir Robert Peel, a British steamer, with thirteen men, expecting a promised reinforcement. The failure scattered his band, and he field to the wilderness of islands, where for several New York, have been arrested, charged with having table members of society. A difficulty had existed months he cluded the search of his enemies. If he conspired to obtain the property of Mr. Ira Topping, between Kennedy and his wife for some time past. heard the puff of a steamboat in pursuit, starting a wealthy gentleman of New York, in which they This difficulty had increased to such an extent that the right, along which you will go about a quarter from his ambush, he dropped his canoe upon the opposite side of the island and was shortly looking out He states that about a year since, the female callyet dreaded genius of the romantic solitude.

the siek man entered the shop, and sinking upon a his apprehension, for breaking neutrality laws and large sums of money, and finally coerced him, with chair, with an expression of weariness, said, in a fret- the loss of the vessel, which he affirms the crew set the assistance of Boyd, into conveying all his real of trial came. Van Rensselaer, imprisoned with him, to support her father's family, and he had done so was pardoned by the payment of a fine and his case for a considerable time. weeks previous, but joined him in Rome; and the examination of this extraordinay affair. captain was soon darting once more along the shadmind is clear and active, her character independent, mouth Pilot says: and her manners pleasing. Her life of adventure of the moral feelings, though the religious element may now appear in retirement."

TRIANGULAR LOVE AFFAIR. - A young lady of New laughingly. "But shall have to defer the walk un- Orleans lately engaged herself to a gentleman who went to California to raise enough to set up house-"You'd better try a bottle of the RESTORER," said keeping. During his absence, another gentleman, the Doctor, with a benevolent smile. "I know that Col. O., fell in love with her, but was forbidden the with its handsome label, temptingly before the eyes Col. O. as well as the California gentleman to console | riod. themselves as they best can.

A QUIETUS FOR CROSS BABIES .- By this we do not mean knocking their brains out against the bed post, nor anything of the sort. Nor do we mean giving them paregorie, Daffy's clixir, Dalby's carminative, black drops, or any other poison. The only requisite to quiet a squalling, squealing little baby is, that it shall possess a nose. In the midst of its screaming, press your finger gently and repeatedly across the cartilage of that useful organ and in less than two minutes it will be asleep.

given as some of the statistics of the United States ready large pile of savings of Conde Alcoy during choice. Hotel, at Saratoga:

There are now about 700 guests at the house, to which may be added 100 children and 300 servants, ly from Cuba, who was in the vicinity of the transmaking 1100 persons to feed daily. They consume, besides many other articles, the following each day— stantially confirmed by the statements of others.— "Two tall poplars stood at the gate which opened 500 lbs. Beef, 500 do. Mutton, 500 Chickens, 150 They are facts notorious to all Americans and for-Ducks and Turkeys, 2,500 Eggs, 600 lbs. Butter, eigners in Cuba.-N. O. Delta, Aug. 2d. 1,600 Rolls for breakfast, 4 barrels of Flour.

Nankeen is a cotton cloth of a beautiful color, which derives its name from Nankin, in China, from kept on, as you directed, to the first road that led off which place it was first brought to Europe. Many from the turnpike. You didn't mention any thing suppose that true Nankeen is artificially colored, but this is not so: its color is that of natural cotton-a pe-"I didn't suppose it necessary," replied the Doctor, with a show of impatience. "A road is a road, tivated in Georgia. The color of nankeen may be whether you enter it by a gate or in any other man-ner. Roads leading to gentleman's country seats are case linen drill of this color, may be set down as an

> The Exhibition of 1851.—The long deliberations as to the bailding to be erected for the exhibition of 1851 have been terminated by a decision in favor of Mr. Paxton's design and estimate. This gentleman's plan suggests a building chiefly of glass-in fact, a huge, but elegant glass house. The great feature in its erection is, that no stone, brick, or mortar will be necessary. All the roofing and upright sashes will be made by machinery, fitted together and glazed with rapidity, most of them being finished previous to being taken to the place, so that little else will be required on the spot than to fit will be supported on east iron columns, and the exten- yeast was put into the baggage crate, when it explosive roof will be sustained without the necessity for ded with tremendous force, tearing off the top of the interior walls for this purpose.—English Paper.

Fredericksburg, Aug. 17. AWFUL MURDER AND SUICIDE OF THE MURDERER -A most heart-rending murder has been perpetrated at White Oak, near this place, which has caused the greatest excitement. A man named Wm. Brown attacked Mr. John Fugat, and severed his head from his body with an axe, when the murderer soon after took his own life by committing suicide.

Extract from the argument of a young lawyer before a Mississippi Justice: "May it please the Court -I had rather live for thirteen hundred centuries on the small end of a thunderbolt-chew the ragged end of a flash of lightning-swallow the corners of a gentleman."

Assarctida.—This article is obtained from a large | Late and Important from Rio.—Four Brazilian form of a white thick juice, like cream, which, from 9th ultimo, twelve days later than the last advices. has an excessively strong smell, which grows weaker four Brazilian vessels. side. But your two tall poplars was one tall elm." and weaker upon keeping; a single drachm of the The Captain of the Brazilian fort in the port open-There it is again!" and the Doctor, in the full- fresh fluid smells more than a hundred pounds of the ed fire upon the steamer and killed one of the men.

"If you or any of your correspondents know an will confer a favor on many by publishing the same

stated, that the Mexicans overcome this propensity, ments afterwards. So he drew a coin from his pocket, laid it upon the by the following kindly treatment. The driver ap- | The Coroner will hold an inquest over the body at proaches the head of the horse, pats him gently on Union st. station house at 10 o'clock to-night. We pats and soothes him again, and repeats the blowing by his production. He chose for his subject the up the nostrils, when, it is said, the animal will be as stated by Catlin, that the Buffalo calves are tamed A JOKE WITH A MORAL !- "Omnibus Bill and Hen- by the Indians; whether it will prove successful in

I do love that man, and if he goes with them cruel So far as our experience goes, kindness is one of omnibus drivers, there is no telling how soon he will the best correctives of bad habits, in either man or

American Farmer.

From the "Banner" Whig County.

been wandering among the "Thousand Islands" in Awgust 1850. I Write you a fewe Lins to Let yow county one day last week by John Tilghman on his the St. Lawrence river. He gives the following in- now that I Will Come an Clark for you if We Can Uncle, Jeseph Tilghman, jr. We are not informed \$7 50. Corn, 85 to 95c. Wheat, 90c. to \$1.—Obs. teresting history of a rather celebrated couple who agree on the price and I Want you to send me a Let- as to all the particulars, but learn that the murderer Weather you Want me to Come or not if I Come ed man was shot, and not being killed, was beaten "I selected as the place of rendezvous, Clayton. I Wal expect you to bord me, an also Washing an with the gun so that he died in the course of two about the Universal Restorer and Balsam of formerly French Creek, thirty miles from Water-mending I Want you to send me a Leter What you hours. The deed was perpetrated some six miles Life, and if that Mr. John Johnson's testimony is to town; a quiet, pleasant village, built on a pavement Will dooe if I Come I can be there by the 24th day from Kinston on the South side of Neuse. The affair be relied on, it ought to suit my case, for, in descri- of primitive strata, which out crops along the bank of awgust as I afore sed I Want you send me a Leter seems to have grown out of a supposed improper inbing his own sufferings, he has exactly described of the river. Bill Johnston, the hero of the Canadian What you Will give me by the month and bord me timacy between the murderer and the wife of the mine. But I've spent so much money in medicine, to no purpose, that I'm tired of being humbugged:

stories are affoat concerning his marvelous career, and the wine of the children and bord me distinct the first point of the river. Bull Johnston, the hero of the children and bord me also With my Washing in be as braaf as you can for murdered man, which added fuel to an old family stories are affoat concerning his marvelous career, and the wine of the children and bord me also With my Washing in be as braaf as you can for grudge. John Tilghman has been taken and compared to the children and bord me also With my Washing in be as braaf as you can for grudge. John Tilghman has been taken and compared to the children and bord me also With my Washing in be as braaf as you can for grudge. John Tilghman has been taken and compared to the children and bord me also With my Washing in be as braaf as you can for grudge. John Tilghman has been taken and compared to the children and bord me also With my Washing in be as braaf as you can for grudge. John Tilghman has been taken and compared to the children and bord me also With my Washing in be as braaf as you can for grudge. John Tilghman has been taken and compared to the children and bord me also With my Washing in be as braaf as you can for grudge. John Tilghman has been taken and compared to the children and bord me also With my Washing in be as braaf as you can for grudge. John Tilghman has been taken and compared to the children and bord me also With my Washing in be as braaf as you can for grudge. John Tilghman has been taken and compared to the children and the wine of the children and the wine of

ty, with an athletic and commanding form, and is still this place a few days ago. We would suggest to the supposed to have been done by himself, in order to timonial? replied the man of medicine, with some the corsair of the fifteen hundred islands that crowd young gentleman who is so anxious to procure a sitthe St. Lawrence within a small section of its ample uation, that he ought to proceed at once to New in self-defence; but the prevailing opinion is that it \$1 371 a \$1 50 per bbl., 6 mos. current. The first adventure which made him known York, Philadelphia, Charleston, or Baltimore, as is a clear case of deliberate murder. in England and the United States, was his daring Wadesborough is altogether too small a place for his

Stanly voted as follows: 834 for Manly, 66 for

REID. "All the intelligence," eh ? woman, named Mary Jane Starr, and a lawyer na- Kennedy, has for years resided in Hancock county. med Jas. T. Boyd, clerk in the Supreme Court in who, with his family, have been considered disrepu-

from a distant cyry on the fruitless chase—flying cd upon him, and stated that she was the wife of the whole family from ejectment About a month Bacon, hog round 71. Hams 81. Lard 8c. from a distant cyry on the relations chase—hyng from every attempt to arrest him, like an invisible James Starr, who was then in California. She re- since, Kennedy was brought before a justice charged quested some assistance. Her genteel appearance by his wife with threatening to kill her, and he was "Kate, his second daughter, often sought his lair gave credit to her story, and Mr. Topping and his bound over in the sum of \$400 to keep the peace. in a light skiff, to carry food and cheer the fugitive family extended assistance to her, and an intimacy On Thursday night Kennedy had been drinking freein his exile. Never was a man in more painful suspense. Both Governments offered large bounty for step, she concected plans, by which she obtained presented as the step of th on fire. The following autumn he delivered himself up to the civil authorities of this State and was lodged in the jail at Albany-was bailed out in the spring property, it seems, was soon after re-conveyed to and returned to his favorite haunt. When the time her. Previous to this she had compelled Topping use, for the brains of the young woman were blown

postponed. Johnston, who said he liked the jailor About a year since, Boyd and Mrs. Starr, under but was tired of confinement, at 8 o'clock t' e same | the authority of the assignment, took possession of evening made his escape and walked forty miles be- the dwelling, No. 67 Jane st., turning Topping's fore daylight, when, overcome with weariness, he wife and children out; but since this charge was took to the canal. Kate, who passed most of the pe- made, they have been reinstated there, and Mrs. riod he was in jail with her father, had left two Starr and Boyd are in prison, awaiting the further

SEABOARD AND ROANOKE RAILROAD.—The British owy channels of this magnificent river. He has the brig Prospect arrived at Portsmouth, Va., on Friday, standard of colors taken from the Robert Peel in safe | with iron for this road. All the iron necessary for keeping. Kate is married, and lives snugly near the re-construction is now there, except one cargo. A paternal domicil. She has been in good society, proposition had been made by the Baltimore Steam praised and lionized, till we surmise that her seelu- Packet Company, which, if acceded to, will insure sion, naturally enough, is not entirely agreeable. Her the speedy construction of the road, and the Ports-

We take pleasure, therefore, in saying that the and excitement has not been favorable to the culture whole matter relating to the proposed connexion has nia. is now on a visit to his relatives in Albany. He been acted on by the committees appointed for the purpose, and that no doubt is entertained but that California as a private soldier in Col. Stevenson's their reports will be confirmed by the respective Regiment. After his discharge from the U. S. ser-

France.—The population of France according to it will just suit your case. Mr. Johnson looked worse house by her parents. Nevertheless he got a friend the population 18,669,000. Thus it appears that surveyors, not one of whom received less than \$13 than you do, when he commenced taking it, and three bottles made a well man of him."

And the Doctor held up a bottle of the Restorer,

The parents. Nevertnetess ne got a triend of his to convey messages between him and the lady, and three bottles made a well man of him."

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> THE SLAVE TRADE IN CUBA .- On the very night at Cardenas, a large vessel came quietly up to the their shape, and the modesty of their behaviour; in wharf and landed 600 negroes from the hold, Germany, by their rosy lips, and the sweetness of duced into the island by the consent, and to the great experience at the approach of a handsome Spanish found at the door of the Captain General's sleeping ed than that of other women. She cares little about A Day's Eating in a Hotel.—The following are by the treasury—we presume, went to swell the alhis very economical administration. Now, these facts we learn from a highly intelligent citizen lateactions when they occurred, and they have been sub-

BOSTON, August 19. Massachusetts Congressional Election.—In the first district, at the election to-day, T. A. Elliott, whig, is doubtlessly elected. The vote stands as follows: -Elliott, 2.355; Sumner, free-soiler, 489; Heard, democrat, 281; scattering 21.

In the second district, Upham, whig, is probably In the fourth district it is thought there will

no choice. A SPANISH STEAMER .- The Spanish steamer Pizarro, at New York, is a fine looking vessel, of English build, and about 200 feet in length. Her engines are of superior construction and finish, and on the Pizarro is one hundred and fifty-six, including officers, marines, crew, &c. She is well armed, for Key West, on seeing her.

A singular explosion occurred on the arrival of the o clock line from New York for Philadelphia, at In New Haven, Conn., on the 12th inst., Leonora, wife of Mr. Michael Durmony, of that city, only sister of Mr. J. J. the materials together. The whole of the structure the Market street depot this morning. A keg of Conoley of this town. crate, throwing the keg at least 50 feet into the air. THE Superintendents of Common Schools in New Hand It landed at the feet of a bystander, having knecked one man down and completely covered him with froth, and scattered the contents on the passengers, giving them a ludicrous appearance. No lives lost.

Newark Advertiser. Colonel Benton .- Old Bullion is at war with all the world, and all the world with him. His speeches and votes on the territorial question prove him to be RUNAWAY from the subscriber, on Wednesday, and votes on the territorial question prove him to be utterly regardless of public opinion, as they are in NELIUS, about 31 years of age; dark complexion; 5 was a most unfortunate occurrence for old Bullion. free-soiler, or abolitionist. We know several cases of this kind,-N. O. Courier.

unbelliferous plant growing in Persia. The root resembles a large parsnip externally, of a black color: Erastus, Corning, arrived at New York on the 17th as the law will be enforced to its fullest extent.

OWEN JARROTT. on cutting it traversely, the assafortida exudes in instant from Rio Janeiro, whence she sailed on the exposure to the air, becomes yellower and yellower, A few days previous news had been received that and at last of dark brown color. It is very apt to the British Admiral on the station, with the British run into putrefaction, and hence those who collect it carefully defend it from the sun. The fresh juice guay [probably Parainaba or Paraiba] and burnt

There was great excitement in Rio on the subject. and it was thought that a serious difficulty would STRAW Matting. -For sale by news of interest.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 9. ANOTHER HORRID MURDER .- A man named Bird, in the Farmer."

We have always looked upon the habit of balking in the horse, as incurable. We have seen it lately ning, and injured so badly that he died in a few mo-

Telegraphic Corr. Balt. Clipp.

beautiful strain :--"The thunder rolled from vole to pole, The lighting spread from sky to sky, And—and the cattle stuck up their tails and run— And-and-Here our aspiring poet became so exhausted that

he fainted .- Boston Post. TRUE—"The man who professes to be neutral in politics, either figures at the head or dangles at the SHEFAED, Esq., Jacksonville, Onslow county, N. C. tail of federalism."

Terms made easy. For invener induced in Subscriber at Owensville, Sampson county, or Gardner Shefaed. Shefaed. Esq., Jacksonville, Onslow county, N. C. Aug. 23, 1850—50-3m1

LOUIS F. CARR. tail of federalism?" . . .

ATROCIOUS MURDER .- A correspondent informs us S tate of N C sanly County this the 13th day of that an atrocious murder was committed in Lenoir mitted to jail to await his trial at the next term of Turpentine, on the wharf, 314 cents, cash. the Superior Court for Lenoir. When he was taken, The above letter was duly sent to a merchant in we understand, his clothes were cut considerably,

Newbern Republican. BY HER FATHER .- An awful tragedy occurred at rels. Philadelphia, Hancock county, Indiana, on the eve-Conspiracy to Extert Money. - A genteel young the case are these: A man by the name of Thomas ning of Thursday. 8th inst. The circumstances of the authorities had been compelled to interfere in rather declining and we hear of sales at \$2 10 a \$2 25. Tar order to protect the wife from personal violence, and \$1 15 per bbl. Corn 90c. per bushel. Meal 90c. a \$1 00 .neighborhood of Philadelphia, repaired to his farm, situated a short distance from the town. About midnight the neighborhood was alarmed by the discharge announcement was made that Kennedy had blown out his daughter's brains. Medical aid was of no completely out of the skull, and she ceased to exist. It is supposed Kennedy, in his madness, had assaulted his wife and family, and in doing so destroyed neglected. Lard, small sales at previous prices. his best child. The unfortunate man is in good circumstances. He was arrested on Friday morning. Cincinnati Dispatch.

> QUICK INTELLIGENCE.—On Sunday the telegraph communicated a message from Washington to N. Orleans ahead of time. The message left Washington at 30 minutes past 11 o'clock, Washington time, and ginia, for which higher rates have been demanded. reached there 5 minutes past 11, New Orleans time, thus travelling about twice as fast as the apparent motion of the Sun round the earth, or correctly | 500 bbls. Common Rosin at 2s 8d to 2s 10d. Spirits Turpenspeaking, double the velocity of the earth's motion | tine heavy at 28s. 6d. on its own axis, as the difference of the time between the two places is about one hour.

HENRY A. Schoolcraft, of Sacramento, Califor-Capt. Sutter, and has since accumulated an estate stock of American descriptions is 200,000 bales against 263,a statistical document recently published in Paris, is valued at \$350,000. While in Capt. Sutter's employ 000 at the same time last year. The sales at Havre during nearly 36,000,000, while the census of 1709 made he had at one time the paying off of 600 clerks and the week reached 13,000 bales at full 3f. advance.

Spanish Women. -- Women in every country have some peculiar attractions which characterize them. preceding the landing of the late Cuban expedition In England, you are charmed by the elegance of boor, miserable, half-starved shadows of men, who their smiles; in France, by their amiable vivacity. had been torn from their homes in Africa and intro- which animates their features. The sensation you profit, of the Captain General of Cuba. Shortly after lady has something so bewitching, that it sets all dethis occurrence, a bag containing about \$20,000 was scription at defiance. Her coquetry is more restrainroom, which—as there appears no acknowledgment pleasing the world in general. She esteems its ap-

> MARRIED, In this county, on the 14th inst., by the Rev. C. PRIDGEN,

In this Port, on board the Oldenburg Brig Wilhelmine, on he 15th inst., very suddenly, H. G. Barn, aged 18 years, aman, a native of Brake, near Bremen. In this town, on the 18th inst., of searlet fever, Susan R. est daughter of B. J. and Julia A. Jacons, aged 3 years

In Robeson county, on the 1st inst., Mrs. MARGARET Mc-HAN, in her 95th year, a native of Scotland. In Chatham county, Miss TEMPERANCE SARAH, daughter of Col. James S. Lassater, in her 18th year, At the residence of Enw'n Hays, esq., near Graham's Turn ut. Barnwell District, S. C., on the morning of the 12th inst., Ir. James D. Polaland, a native of England. He died from arolina Regiment in the late war with Mexico. It was his

lying request that his surviving comrades of that regiment are equal to 550 horse power. The number of men ing to his friends and relatives to learn, that his dying pillow was soothed by every care that the most heroic and untiring carrying four "thirty-two pounders," and two all things, reward them for their charity to the helpless stranresixty-eight pound Taixhan guns." No wonder Lo-pez and his valiant army took to their heels, en route for Key West, on seeing her. grave, bearing with him the sorrow and regret of all who knew him.

yer County, are requested to meet at the Court-House on Tuesday Evening of September Court, at 7 o'clock. S. D. WALLACE, Chairman. August 23, 1350 r ADIES Gause, Merino, Cotton and Silk Walstd coats. For sale by

\$50 REWARD.

opposition to the uniform tenor of his speeches in feet 6 or 8 inches high; chunky built; squints in one of former years. The bursting of Commodore Stock-ton's big gun on board the Princeton steam frigate ton's big gun on board the Princeton steam frigate can write. He is well known in this County. and well acwas a most unfortunate occurrence for old Bullion. quainted along the Railroad from Wilmington up one hun-It is pretty generally true that when a man gets his dred miles, as he was employed to work on the same a few brain dislocated or seriously shocked, he turns whig, years back, and may endeavor to get there again in order to make his escape North. I will give the above reward of Fifty Pollars for his deliv-

ery to me in Onslow County, or for his confinement in any Jail so that I can get him again.

Masters of vessels and all other persons are hereby fore warned harboring, employing, or carrying said negro away, Flanner.

Jacksonville, Onslow co., N. C., Aug. 23, 1850 J. S. WILLIAMS AS on hand the following articles, which he will sell

I very low rates, for eash: Ladies Parasols, Sun . hades and Umbrellas; White Gause Flannel; Irish Linens, superior make; Gentlemen's Gause, Merino, Cotton, and Silk Unde

Shirts and Drawers;

Furniture Dimity, and Fringe; Black spun silk Hose; Bay Rum, Lavender, Cologne, and Luben's best Per

J. S. WILLIAMS. The sickness at Rio had nearly subsided. No other ews of interest.

CORN.—2500 bushels Bladen County Cora, daily expected. my property for the control of th FLOUR.-100 Bbls. assorted Brands. For sale by OWEN HOLMES.

600 " " " Sides; 300 " " Shoulders; 300 "Western Shoulders. For sale cheap OWEN HOLMES.

TOBACCO.-10 Boxes low priced, and 2 Boxes superior. For sale by VALUABLE REAL ESTATE FOR SALE. THE subscriber wishes to sell-his House and Lot in Jacksonville, Onslow county, at present occupied by WM. P. PELLETIER. The House is a very comfortable residence, with suitable Thunder Storm, and commenced in the following out-buildings, and a large and handsome Lot of ground attached, say about an acre and a half. Possession given on

A valuable tract of Turpentine Land, containing about 3,500 Acres, lying on the Holly Shelter Road, in the county of Onslow, and adjoining the lands of Morkis Foy, John James, and others. Persons wishing to purchase valuable Turpentine Land will do well to examine the premises.

Terms undo easy. For further information, address the the first day of January, 1851. Terms made easy. For further information, address the

Commercial.

FAYETTEVILLE, August 20 .- Cotton, 121 to 123c. Flour, CHARLESTON, August 20 .- Cotton. - The transactions yesterday reached 1000 bales, at prices ranging from 113 to 12 ie. some 600 bales of which were sold at 124c. We have no change to notice in the prices paid on the preceding day. NEW YORK, August 17 .- NAVAL STORES-We have only to report sales of 600 bbls. North County Turpentine at \$2

Boston, August 17 .- NAVAL STORES-We notice small sales of Spirits Turpentine at 33c., cash, and 34 a 35 cts. per

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 20-6, P. M .- The Flour and Grain markets are without change, and prices remain as yesterday. A TERRIBLE TRAGEDY .- A DAUGHTER MURDERED The Cotton market is easy. Whisky selling at 261c. in bar-

New-York, Aug. 20-6 P. M .- Flour 5 50 to \$5 75. Corn Meal \$3. Rye Flour \$2 90. Red Wheat \$1 03 Mixed and yellow Corn 60 a 64c. Oats 38 a 42c. Mess Pork \$10 371prime \$8 371. Western Bacon hams 51 a 6c. Whiskey 26 a 26åc. per gall.

NEWBERN, Aug. 20 .- NAVAL STORES .- Turpentine \$2 15 for yellow dip, and \$2 32 for Virgin; to-day the price is Foreign Markets-Per Steamer Niagara.

LIVERPOOL, August 3 .- Cotton-There was 4 ct. per lb advance in Cotton after the departure of the Pacific. Fair LIME, per barrel. Orleans is quoted at 82d. Sales of the week 117,000 bales, LUMBER, River, per M. of which speculators took 41,000 and exporters 12,000. The Havre Cotton market was active on Thursday, at advanced

BREADSTUFFS-The market for flour was quiet, without shange in prices. Wheat unchanged. Indian Corn had fur-

PROVISIONS-There was an improved inquiry for Beef .-Pork, old and new, slightly advanced, Bacon, a fair business doing at full prices. Shoulders were wanted. Hams

GROCERIES-Sugar in good demand at 6d advance. Coffee-The market at Liverpool was steady, without animation. At London, on Friday, prices were lower and the market dull. TOBACCO-The sales last month were 1,370 hhds. The general character of the market is that of increased firmness. Some descriptions of Tobacco have improved, especially Vir-

RICE-The demand has decreased. NAVAL STORES-Sales of 250 bbls. Turpentine at 7s 3d Oils-Olive further advanced to 10s. a 20s. per ton. A large business doing. Linseed dull at 33s. 9d. to 34s.

Per Steamer Europa. LIVERPOOL, August 10 .- The Cotton market was quiet at the time of the sailing of the Europa. The sales of the week vice, he obtained employment as book-keeper for were quoted at 71d.; Mobile and Alabama, 72 to 81d. The

favorable report of the Potatoe crop, which had an influence on the Corn market, and prices had improved 6d. to 1s. Nice was dull at 16 to 18s. 9d. Coffee was declining in both Liverpool and London. Sugar was improving in price. Nething was doing in Turpentine which was quoted nominally at 4s. 6d. to 4s. 7d.; 1500 bbls. common Rosin were

Marine Intelligence.

PORT OF WILMINGTON, NORTH-CAROLINA.

sold at 2s. 8d. to 9d. Consols closed at 95k.

17-Brig Buena Vista, Myers. New York, to A. H. Van okkelin; with mdze, to sundry persons. Schr. Harrison Price, Rice, New York, to E. J. Lutter oh; with mdze, to sundry persons. Schr. Example, Mydgett, Hyde county, N. C., corn, to 18-Schr. Orlando, Richardson, New York, in ballast, to

J. B. Russell. Schr. L. P. Smith, Stutes, New York, to DeRosset & Brown; with mdze, to sundry persons. Schr Lamartine, Chapman, New York, to G. Harriss; with indze, to sundry persons.
Schr. Senora Isabel, Lewis, Shallotte, to DeRosset & Brown; with naval stores.
Schr. Ann Maria, Mason, Beaufort, S. C., to G. W. Di is: with naval stores. Schr. Eureka, Davis, Shallotte, to Anderson & Latimer with naval stores. Schr. Margaret Jane, Galloway, Lockwood's Folly, to naster; with naval stores. Schr. D. P. Woodbury, Rabun, Shallotte, to DeRosset &

Brown; with naval stores. 20-Sehr. Matthew Byrd, Smith, Savannah, in ballast, to corge Harriss. 21-Schr. Rio, Johnson, New York, with 50 bales hay and Schr. Minerva Wright, Cox, New York, to E. J. Lutteroh; with mdze, to sundry persons.

CLEARED. Aug. 16-Br. Brig Isabella and Jane, Possignol, Liver-pool, by Barry, Bryant & Adams; with 1070 bbls. turpentine, Schr. Coriuthian, Plummer, Baltimore, by Ellis & Rusell; with 61,000 feet lumber, 11 bales cotton yarns, 10 bun-17-Sehr. Leesburg, Boon, Philadelphia, by DeRosset & Brown; with 187 bbls. spirits turpentine, 643 do. rosin, 75 bales cotton goods and yarns, 34,000 feet lumber.

Br. Schr. Ann, Duncanson, London, by DeRosset & Brown: with 44 bbls. spirits turpentine, 500 do. raw do., 39 do. rosin. Schr Elouise, Robinson, New York, by E. J. Lutterloh; with 365 bbls, spirits turpentine, 900 do. rosin. Schr. Alarie, Sandford, New York, by DeRosset & Brown with 241 bbls. spirits turpentine, 1084 do. rosin, 37 bales cotton goods and yarns. Schr. A. Flommerfelt, String, New London, Conn., by G Harriss; with 80,000 feet lumber.

19-Schr. G. W. Davis, Chadwick, N. Y., by G. Harriss; with 499 bbls, spirits turpentine, 836 do. rosin, 20,000 feet Schr. Mary Powell, Williams, New York, by G. Harriss; with 343 bbls. spirits turpentine, 1504 do. rosin, 40 bales cot-20-Sehr. N. Carolina, Williams, N. York, by J. H. Flanner; with 261 bbls. spirits turpentine, 870 do. rosin. Schr. Wm. Hart, Orton, Philadelphia, by Geo. Harriss

with 721 bbls. rosin, 100 do. pitch, 56 bales cotten goods and

yarns, 30,000 feet lumber. 21-Schr. Egeremete, Cousins, Boston, by Barry, Bryant & Adams; with 800 bbls. naval stores, 30,000 feet lumber. Steamer Evergreen, Rush, Fayetteville, by Carroll & Fennell; with mdze, to sundry persons. Schr. Marietta, Lewis, Lockwood's Folly, by Anderson &

Latimer. 22-Brig Gen. Marshall, Holmes, Rio Janeiro, by Wm. M. Harriss; with 130,000 feet S. S. Lumber. Schr. Ureka, Davis, Shallotte, by Anderson & Latimer. Schr. D. P. Woodbury, Rabon, Shallotte, by DeRosset & Brown. Schr. Ann Maria, Mason, Beaufort, by G. W. Davis.

Schr. Margaret Jane, Galloway, Lockwood's Folls, by B. Schr. Senora Isabel, Lewis, Shallotte, by DeRosset Brown.

\$100 REWARD. RUNAWAY from the subscriber, on the 17th inst., yellow complexion, and a cooper by trade. He formerly belonged to the estate of WM. K. DEVANE, and is well known about Black River, in New Hanover county.

Any person apprehending the above named boy DAVE, and delivering him to me on South River, New Hanover county, or lodging him in any Jail in this State so that I can get him, will receive a reward of One Hundred Dollars.
Aug. 23, 1850-50-6t]
E. J. ANDER

OVERSEER WANTED. MAN of sober, industrious habits, an experienced far-A mer, with some knowledge of the Turpentine business, would find a perminent situation upon application to me at my plantation on the Sound, thirteen miles East of Wilming-One with a family would be preferred. Letters enquiring information may be addressed to Wilmington.
Aug. 23, 1850-50-tf]
N. N. N. N. N NIXON.

TOPSAIL ACADEMY Is a beautiful and healthy situation, twelve miles East of Wilmington, in an excellent neighborhood, where board self-sacrificing passions of our nature, the loft sentiments

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Mental and Moral Philosophy, Political Economy, including first Classes of Algebra, Latin and Greek. 15 00 ccond Classes of the same, with Lectures on the most

MOLASSES.—10 Hhds. best Cuba Molasses;
25 bbls. " " " "
New Orleans;
1 " Stewart's best Syrup.
GEO. H. KELLEY'S. Low or cash at

NAVAL STORES, BACON, per pound. Yerpentine, per bbl. 280 lbs. Yellow Dip, a 2 00 Hams, \$ 9 a \$ Middlings, a *Virgin Dip, a 2 137.

Hard, a 1 10

'Par, 0 00 a 1 20

Pitch, 0 00 a 1 00

Resin, No.1, 2 25 a Shoulders, Hog round, 71 a Western, 6 a BEANS, per bush. Do. No.3, ... a 95 BEESWAX, Per pound, 18 BUTTER, Sp'ts Turp , per gallon , 28 a Common Wilmington, \$1 40, delivered; and 300 bbls. Spirits BEEF, per bbl. gallon, 28 a Varnish, pr gal. 20 a N. Mess, ..12 50 Oll, per gallon. Sperm, 1 00 Linsced, N C. . 80 Do. Prime, .. 7 00 BEEF CATTLE, Per 100 lbs., .3 00 Neats Foot, ... 00 a 0 00 CORN. PEAS, per bushel. Ground, ... 0 00 a Black Eye, a Meal, bush ... So a COFFEE, per lb. Rie, B St. Deminge, 9h a Laguyra, 11 a Do. Prime, 10 50 a 11 00 Fresh, per lb. . 0 a 0
POTATOES.
Irish, bbl., . 0 00 a 0 00
Sweet bush., . 80 a 1 00 Java, d3 a CANDLES, per lb. Tallow, 125 a POULTRY. Sperm,40 a Chickens, live, .124 a' EGGS, per doz., 12½ a FEATHERS, Do. dead, .00 a Turkeys, live, ... a Per pound 00 RICE, per 100 lbs. FLOUR, per barrel. Clean, cask, .3 50 a Rough, bush., .00 a SAJ-T, per bushel. Fayetteville, a HAY, per 100 lbs. North River, .. 68 a Turks Island. 20 d 25 Liv'l sack, 95 d 1 10' SOAP, per lb., ... 4 a 6 SHINGLES, per M. Country, ... 1 50 a 2 374 Eastern, a 1RON, per lb., ...44 a LARD, per lb. No. Carolina, .. 8 a Western, 71 a Contract, ... 0 00 a \$ 00 STEEL, per lb, .12 a STAVES, per M. W. O. barrel, rough,00 00 a 14 00 Ash Head'g a 7 50 Scantling, B R. O. hhd., LIQUORS, per gallon. N. E. Rum, ... 30 a Gin, 30 a dressed,00 00 a 14 00 Do. rough, 0 00 a 00 00 SUGAR, per pound. New Orleans, . . 5 a Whiskey, rec... a Do. N.O. do. 28 a Porto Rico, 64 a St. Croix, 7 a Loaf, 101 a Do. Old Nick, 00 a Apple Brandy, 35 a Peach do 00 n TIMBER, per M. MOLASSES, per gall. Shipping, a Mill, prine, a West Indies,...17 a New Orleans, .00 a Do ord'y, a MACKEREL, per bbl. IACKEREL, per bbl. Do. inf'r,.
No. 1,.....0 00 a 0 00 TALLOW, No. 2, 0 00 a 0 00 Per pound. Ne. 3, 7 00 a 7 50 WINES, per gallon. MULLETS, Madeira,70 a 5 00 Per barrel ... 4 00 a 4 50 Port, 1 25 a 4 00 5 Malaga, 40 a 60 NAILS, perlb.,..4 a Note.-River Lumber, Tar, and Turpentine, are always

Wholesale Prices Current.

sold in the water, and are subject to the expense of landing, inspection, cooperage, &c.; say on Lumber, 80 cents to \$1 per M .: Tar and Turpentine about 10 cents per barrel. *For dry Virgin or mixed Turpentine, a deduction is made according

FREIGHTS: Turpentine, Rosin, and Tar, per barrel, ... \$ 35 a \$ Turpentine, Rosin, and Tar, per barrel,00 Spirits Turpentine,do......00 a Ground Peas, per bushel, n ds and yarns, per cubic foot ... TO BOSTON. Turpentine, Rosin, and Tar, per barrel, 40 a REVIEW OF THE WILMINGTON MARKET. FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 22, 1850.

BEEF CATTLE .- For the past week or two, Beef Cattle have been brought in freely, and prices have fallen materially within a week. A fair article sold yesterday at about \$3 per 100 lbs. We learn that 3 a 34c. per lb. is the highest prices the quality arriving will command, and that the market is fully stocked.

Bacon.-Some 12,000 lbs. N. C. Bacon have been received this week per Railroad, and selling at about quotations. Very choice lots at a fraction over, in small lots. CORN.-The stock in store is considered about fair, for present demands. A cargo of 700 bushels from Hyde Co., brought 76c. per bushel, which is a decline on our last week's

lowest quotation of 4 cents per bushel. FLOUR .- No arrival of Fayetteville Flour and none in mar-HAY .- The stock in store is heavy. Received to-day 50

bales. Last sales 60 cents per 100 lbs Land.—Some small lots received per Rail Road, and sales in the small way at S a S1 in bbls., and 9 cents per lb. in

LUMBER. - Nothing been doing in this article.

Molasses-None received since our last report. Our quoations are for lots from store, according to quality and quan-MEAL -Several lots of meal received since our last, and

sold at 90 cents per bushel in small lots. NAVAL STORES-Sales of Turpentine for the week foot up about 4,000 barrels. The quotations for yellow dip have ruled from \$2 05 to \$2 per bbl. of 280 lbs. Virgin dip has varied in price, according to quality, from \$2 25 down to \$2 10° per bbl. The sales of to-day and late yesterday evening reach 1400 a 1600 bbls., at \$2 15 for virgin, and \$2 for yellow dip. In Spirits Turpentine there has not been much doing .-Several small lots have changed hands at 23 a 234 cents per gallon, and the barrels at \$1 75 not returnable Tan arrives very slowly, and last sales at \$1 20 per bbl. We hear of nothing doing in Common Rosin. A small lot of No. f

changed owners at \$2 25 per bbl. PEAS -Our quotations are merely nominal. POTATOES. - Sweet potatoes begin to arrive, and sell at retail from carts and boats at 80 a 100 cents per bushel. Salt.-From store 20 a 25 cents per bushel, for coarse af-

lum, according to quantity and terms. SHINGLES .- 20,000 shingles sold at \$2 374, and a small loft at \$1 50 per M. TIMBER.—But one raft sold this week, at \$6 per M.

FREIGHTS-We have no change to notice in freight list. Auction Sales, Thursday, Aug. 15th .- 220 bbls. Philadelphia Flour, \$5 50 a \$5 871; 50 bbls. kiln dried Meal, \$2 80 a \$3 121; 40 bbls. Mess Pork, \$10 124 a \$10 25; 40 bbls. Rye Flour, \$3 a \$3 621; 50 kegs Western Lard, 81 cts.; 20 bbls. Mess Beef, \$12 25 a \$13.

FOR RENT FROM FIRST OCTOBER. THE ROCK SPRING HOTEL, at present occupied by A. Mr. A. Alderman, on Chesnut Street : centre store in my fire proof building, corner of Water and Chesnut Streets.

O. G. PARSLEY. ALSO. The convenient dwelling on Second Street between the late residence of Col. Mckae and Mr. Ferous. Small dwelling on 3d Street, on same lot and East of the Store and Warehouse corner Front and Red Cross Streets. Aug. 23, 1850.—[50-3t] O. G. PARSLEY, Guardian.

FALL FASHIONS. HATS, Caps, Umbrellas, and Walking Canes.
The largest and best selected assortment of the above articles ever before offered in this market, may now be found at the Hat Store of C. MYERS. All persons in want of any of the above articles, would do well to call and examine his stock before purchasing elsewhere or going North, as they have been selected with card to please his wholesale as well as retail customers. Wilmington, N. C , August 23d, 1850.

DRESH Arrivals per Schr. L. P. Smith. 20 bbls. fresh Canal Flour, fancy; 25 half bbls. do. 2 bbls. prime Lard; I dozen kits fine No. 1 Mackerel? 2 do. Painted Pails. Low for cash, at

GEO. H. KELLEY'S. AUGUST 20th. RECEIVED This Day at the Book Store, the following new works, viz: Heloise, or The Unrevealed Secret. This is a romance of great power and interest. As a tale it is unsurpassed by few, either in the development of some of the noblest and most

may be had for six to seven dollars per month, will com-mence its second scholastic year on the first day of October It is told with much force and beauty of language, and in the rich diction of a German scholar. Ruth Emsley, the Betrothed Maiden. A good American

story, by Carpenter.

Lettice Arnold, a tale by Mrs. Marsh. A beautiful story, healthy in sentiment, and of great interest.

The Children of Love, by Eugene Suc.
Inconstancy, a story of to-day. Suited to the times.
Also, for sale, The Earle's Daughter, by the author of "Amy Herbert," "Gertrude," &c &c., by Rev. Win. Sewell, B. D. "One of the most intensely interesting works we ever read."

The Robber of the Rhine Valley. The complete numbers.

coption of the ornamental branches, which will be made very reasonable, and determined upon previous to the opening of the School.

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Additional numbers of the Morning Call, by Mrs. Ellis.

Household Words, by Dickens, to be had of

L. H. PIERCE.

MOURNING Dress Goods. Black Bombasines, Can-ton Cloth, Alpaceas, Mouselin de Laine, Muslins, Ging-hams, Granndines, Prints and Barrages, all qualities. For sale by J.S. Wilddams.